

**FIELD DAY AND BIG RACES**  
Of all kinds at the Fair Grounds, Logan, O., Thursday, June 4, 1896. For list of purses, prizes, etc., address, JOHN W. BEYRON, Sec'y., Logan, Ohio.

### LOCAL - PERSONAL.

—L. Verges, Watch Maker and Engraver.

—Apple Butter 4c per pound at Stiers & Co.

—Frank Jackson, of Gibsonville, was in the city Monday.

—Rev. Fr. Powers was in Albany, N. Y., the first of the week.

—Extraordinary discount on men's underwear at Stiers & Co.

—J. W. Streutz made a business trip to the State Farm, Monday.

—Andrew Woodard, of Benton township, was in the city before part of the week.

—Sam Wells and wife, of Nelsonville, visited Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Braddock, Sunday.

—Attorney A. E. Price, of Athens, was a business visitor in Logan the latter part of last week.

—Chas. Schwenke has built an addition to and otherwise improved his home, on Walnut street.

—Jesse Gabriel is rejoicing over the arrival of a brand new daughter at his home Monday night.

—Mrs. John Westenhaver, of east Main street, has for her guest her sister, Miss Younker, of Maxville.

—Rev. Fr. Cady's familiar countenance is again seen on our streets. He will make Logan his future home.

—Henry McBride and daughter, of McArthur, spent Sunday in Logan the guests of Lineman P. J. Murphy.

—Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Lappen and Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Ryan left Tuesday for Gaudy Bridge, W. Va., for a week's visit.

—The G. A. R. memorial services will be held at the U. B. Church on next Sunday, at 10:30 a. m., by Rev. W. H. Wright.

—Prof. A. M. Sparks will soon erect a handsome dwelling on his lot in Pond's addition. J. W. Streutz has the contract.

—Mrs. A. J. Ward and sister, Kate McBride, of New Lexington, Sunday with their mother, Mrs. John McBride, of Main street.

—Chas. Beck is in Zanesville assisting the Lancaster nine in a game of base ball with the Zanesville's. Charley, of course, plays behind the bat.

—Mrs. Geo. Smith, Mrs. Will Smith and the Misses Ella and Mary Smith, of Columbus, O., were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Sparks, Sunday.

—Mr. Fred Mericle, a prominent Fairfield county farmer of near Bremen, accompanied by his wife, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Angle, Wednesday.

—Don't you want a Pool or Billiard Table? Bott Bros., Columbus, Ohio, will sell them on easy payments, also Bar fixtures, Billiard supplies, etc., etc.

—Fifteen wash poplin dusters at 15c each, were 75c. 500 yards navy blue mull, for warm weather dresses, at 5c per yard, were 25c. Stiers & Co., Assignee's Sale.

—The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wasson, in Logan, are rejoicing over the advent of a brand new Democrat at their home in Toledo, Monday morning.

—The match game of base ball between Logan and Nelsonville on last Thursday resulted in a score of 6 to 6 in the 7th inning, when the game was called on account of the rain.

—Two-pound package of panache flour, 5c. Salmon 7c, former price 10c. Salmon, 15-cent cans, 10 cents. Choice, new California evaporated peaches, 5c. Stiers & Co., Assignee's Sale.

—Coon Reichley, Benton township's popular and efficient assessor, made his return to the county auditor Monday. Coon's books were in good condition and he was highly complimented by the auditor.

—The Misses Belle and Tillie Snyder of West Hunter Street, who are attending school at Albany, N. Y., were called home the first of the week by the serious illness of their sister, Miss Mary.

—Why waste your time this hot weather making sheets and pillow cases? Go down to Stiers & Co. and buy them ready made for less than the muslin would cost you. T. W. Rochester, Assignee.

—An exceedingly large stock of New Wall Paper has just been received by F. Harrington. It embraces all the newest and latest designs, every grade and every price. If you want a bargain call and see him. 5-2t.

—Baker's Art Gallery, of Columbus, have complete facilities for producing absolutely everything pertaining to photography and portraiture. Sample of work can be seen at this office.

—Postmaster Wagner, of South Perry, was in Logan on Monday in regard to the establishment of the new mail route from Lancaster to Bloomingville. The postmaster made the SEXTINEL a very pleasant call.

—Frank Pond, the genial and accommodating dry goods clerk, with Stiers & Co., is not only a first class business man but an expert, artistic carpet layer. If you want a new carpet cut, fit and laid to a "queen's taste," call on Frank.

—Miss Anna Keller of East Main Street, is seriously ill. Miss Essie Juergensmeier is in charge of her school.

—Mrs. Threewit, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Robert Work, in Logan for the past few weeks, has returned to her home in Denver, Colorado. She was accompanied by Miss Bird White, who will spend the summer with her.

—The little daughter of Nathan Reynolds at Monday, was shot and perhaps fatally injured by the discharge of her father's revolver, last Tuesday evening. Reynolds was attempting to shoot a rat near the barn, and just as he fired the child came around the corner and received the contents of the revolver in the breast.

—Gus. Weiland, of Nashville, Tenn., is in the city visiting his father, Mr. N. J. Weiland, and shaking hands with his hosts of friends in and about Logan. "Gus" will stay until after the commencement to witness the graduating exercises and encourage his brother, Thomas Weiland, the youngest and biggest of the class of '96.

—Our cotemporaries were mistaken in announcing the election of Mr. H. B. Peters, of this city, to the presidency of the Logan Gas and Oil Company. At a meeting of the directors held in Logan yesterday Mr. John Denman of this city was elected president, W. G. Gibson vice president, R. S. Patty general manager, William Davidson, secretary, and H. B. Peters treasurer.—Lancaster Gazette.

—Ex-Sheriff Wright and Lewis Ruble have purchased the livery stock and good will of J. R. Glass, and will hereafter conduct a first class livery and feed stable. They are in Columbus this week purchasing a new hack and new buggies, and propose to have the best turnouts in the Valley. They have retained Hackman Nixon which insures good service. If you want a nice, new, natty turnout you should see Wright & Ruble.

—The Lancaster and Hamden rail way company secured a certificate from the Secretary of the State authorizing the company to build a branch of its road across from Laurelsville, in Hocking county, to Kingston in Ross county, to connect with the Norfolk and Western; also a branch from its main line at or near Ash Cave, in Hocking county, to a southeasterly direction intersecting the town of McArthur, in Vinton county, to the town of Point Pleasant in Gallia Co., Ohio, there to intersect and connect with the Kanawa and Michigan. The company has already been authorized to build a branch from Lancaster to Thurston and to Thorport.

—The program will consist of the finest advertising costume displays by all the leading merchants and business men in the city, together with declamations, marches, drills, tableaux, recitations and solos, by the best home talent obtainable.

—Prof. Graves, of Baltimore, will also recite during the evening.

—Proceeds for the benefit of the M. E. Church. Let everybody come and have a good time and help the cause. Admission 15, 20 and 25 cents. Boxes 35 cents. Doors open at 7:30 p. m. Exercises commence at 8 p. m. Tickets on sale at Rempel's Bazaar.

—Almost Given Away.

—The Ohio State Journal is the leading Republican organ of Ohio, and its twice-a-week edition is the best weekly paper for Ohio readers. It gives more state news than any other paper, and in addition publishes all the general telegraphic news, latest market reports and many columns of choice matter by the best writers. Eight large pages twice every week for only 25c for the campaign. You can get a sample copy by sending your name and address on a postal card to the publishers, OHIO STATE JOURNAL CO., Columbus, O.

—Foreman-Robison.

—Mr. Geo. H. Foreman, of Cleveland, Ohio, was united in marriage with Mrs. Anna Robison, of the same place. Mrs. Robison was formerly from near Starr. The happy couple conceived the idea that it would be unique to be married among the picturesque hills of Old Hocking, at the home of the bride's mother. The ceremony was performed by Rev. W. H. Wright, May 17. Several invited guests were present to witness the ceremony and to partake of the sumptuous wedding dinner.

—Hesboro.

—The farmers of this place are through planting corn and some of it is up very nice.

—S. J. Hooper, who has been working for J. W. Schaaf, has quit and is now studying matrimony.

—Mrs. Householder, an aged lady of this place, is very sick at this writing.

—Sherman Strawn will go to Adelphi in the near future to paint roots, etc.

—Misses Angie and Stella Harden visited their parents Sunday.

—James Harden made a business trip to Logan on his wheel Saturday.

### THE BIKE EDITOR

OF THE JOURNAL-GAZETTE.

THE FARMER AND HIS TEAM IN THE WAY.

Calls Him a Hog and Other Sweet Williams.

Our esteemed cotemporary, the Journal-Gazette, has opened a department for the special advocacy of the Bicycle. The editor of this department is of such distinguished ability that he and his department claim passing attention.

In the last issue, under caption "The Bike About Town" we find the following. The allusion to the country man, coming to town in the farm wagon, will be appreciated by all the loafers in the country—

"Keep the middle of the road" is the motto of the swine that sits up in the seat with the lines between his front toes and expects to force you out into the rough places and gutters while he holds serenely to his course. Simply dismount and stand in your place by your wheel, and look the swine in the eye. If he then insists upon crowding you out, do a little insisting yourself. The heavier your weight, the better developed your muscles, and the more manifest your disposition to employ those endowments patriotically, the quicker the swine with the lines between his front toes will pull to one side and leave you in possession of your lawful half of the highway.

Splendid advice releases the Bike. Even in Hocking county we have these animals, but we may reform them in time.

So the Journal-Gazette Biker and the other duffers of the town who go out on a frolic along the boulevard towards Webb's Summit, improved, we are told without any expense to the taxpayer, proposes that the farmer, "a swine with the lines between his toes," shall give half the road, or stand the withering look of the Biker. Shades of the old time ore haulers, protect us!

Such editorial genius and such road courage should be identified, and crowned with the proper credit. The Bike editor is not Comrade Tom Allen, we are sure. The gray and bullet pitted old veteran when he led the charge on the battery, and when he rushed up the steps of Lookout Mountain, close on the heels of Phil Sheridan, was not riding on a wheel. He was on foot. In war he so advanced, and when in the country on newspaper work—we have it on his own say-so—he is "on the wing." No, Tom Allen is not Bike. It can't be Brother McKay. It has been but such a short time since he learned to walk, that he can not safely give it up for fear of falling back to the infantile proceeding on all fours. He may have ambitions that way, may want a hobby horse on wheels, but no Bike for him yet awhile, not 'till he feels the courage of red top boots and displays the ability to walk alone.

It then must be the old wheel editor, the horn blower of the Good Hope Hills, the mellifluous shepherd of the Millville meadows, our own every day Herpeichord Hulse.

He is a Biker, and bikes on the streets every day. He is a teacher of a class. He gives lessons in posture. He has adopted as his model, the rainbow curve, that being best adapted to show the elasticity and elongation of his back bone. When he bikes along the boulevard to Commissioner Webb's, the farm teams take to the siding, and the old farmer who treasures in his mind the legend of the pot of gold to be found at the foot of the rainbow, gazing on this marvelous curve on wheels, sees at the eyther and nether ends, a half side of sole leather and a squash, but valuable products, in their place, the one covering the immense feet of the Biker, the other a substitute for the head of a bike editor.

Among the bikists of our town, the bike editor may be distinguished by the curved spine, but for further identification his countenance is advertisement. His face wears a pained and perplexed look, a cast of countenance which follows temporarily upon reading one of his funny articles, and has a fixed imprint upon the author.

His last article, the "Road Hog," the Swine with lines between his toes" published above, has given a steeper gradient to his vertebra, and a more corrugated rim to the eye which is supposed to be set on the man who will not drive off the road and give him and his wheel full wobble way.

It is also our notion, in the interest of the newspaper having a reliable news item, that when Bike, and cyclists of his cult, parade on the big road on their hundred dollar wheels not listed for taxation, and refuse to give the way to a teamster whose horses and wagon would not sell for a hundred dollars, but which are honestly down on the duplicate and taxed, the proper thing to do, in order for the paper to get a news item, is to drive over Bike, and take the chance of being paralyzed by that "look in the swine's eye."

—Have your engraving done by L. Verges, the Jeweler.

—Four cans of choice tomatoes for 25c at Stiers Co.

—Mr. Hannon of the Collier Publishing Co. was in town yesterday.

### A Post Office Challenge.

Will Levans, the handsome, popular and accomplished young deputy post master of Lancaster, accompanied by a dozen young religious wheelmen of that city who appreciate the church advantages of Logan, visited us last Sunday, bearing a challenge from the Lancaster post office Nine to the post office department of the Queen City. When the young messenger bearing the challenge was given entrance to our Government Building, he was so overcome with the commodious magnificence of the room, walls adorned with pictures of heroic democratic statesmen and handsome democratic ladies, the tables strewn in luxurious profusion with cake and candy and the desks blushing with bouquets of fragrant flowers, gift tokens from appreciating patrons, he had in these presence, only speech to say "The Lancaster post office Nine challenge the Logan post office."

The challenge was accepted with such suddenness that the challenger, to keep from a faint, unweaved the red flannel skirt from his neck, and unbuckled the garter fastening his stockings at the ankle. The weapons for the contest being the code, under the rules of the code, left to the challenged one, the proper post office munitions, Accuracy, Celerity.

Our post office girls, two of them, will separate, distribute, dispatch, deliver quicker and with less error more mail and dispense more smiles, receive more compliments in an hour, or in any fixed time, than the Lancaster Nine, or nineteen or ninety and nine post office offices present and past that can be arrayed against them. The prize to be nosegays for the boys and for the girls, a bunch of blue ribbons to tie up their bonny brown hair, and Col. Purcell of Lancaster and Logan may name time and place and umpire the competition.

Let Lancaster with her gallant and chivalrous young men, civil service all of them, stand to your proposition, or gracefully and civilly servally yield the championship, in a contest certain to be won.

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# "STOP, LOOK AND LISTEN!"

The impression has gotten out that we have sold out most everything. Nothing is farther from the truth. We would naturally be sold out of some things, unless we had an unlimited quantity. But we still have over

**\$20,000 Worth of Dry Goods, Notions, Carpets, Groceries, Queensware,**

at greatly reduced prices. Our Dress Goods and Silk Stock is still unimpaired. Our Carpet Stock is still good, and all other lines except, perhaps, Dress Linings, Crash, Black Satines and bleached muslin. We quote a few prices below that it will pay you to examine:

Capes, Jackets, Gloves.	What About Shoes?	Queensware.	Groceries.
We still have a few New and Pretty Spring Capes.	Why, we have simply got an immense stock. Men's and Boys' working shoes. Ladies' and Misses fine shoes. It would pay you to buy your footwear for next fall. This is especially true of boots and rubber goods.	Dinner Sets of 115 pieces that were \$18.00, are now..... Dinner Sets of 115 pieces, that were \$16.00, are now..... Dinner Sets of 115 pieces, that were \$15.00, are now..... Chamber Sets that were \$7.50, are now..... Chamber Sets that were \$6.00, are now..... Chamber Sets that were \$5.00, are now..... Everything in this Line at Reduced Prices.	We have an extraordinary good stock of Groceries and Canned Goods, and we are making Lower Prices on Every Item in this Department.

IF YOU WANT BARGAINS CALL ON US AT THE OLD STAND.

## STIERS & COMPANY,

SOUTH MULBERRY STREET, LOGAN, O.

April 30, 1896-4v.

T. W. ROCHESTER, Assignee

16, 1823, in Fairfield county, Ohio, and was married to Simon Beery in 1843. To this union was born ten children, two of which preceded her to the spirit world. The husband died November 2, 1887. There were twenty-eight grand children and two great grand children. She died May 13, 1876, aged 72 years, 11 months and 27 days. The funeral sermon was preached by Rev. W. H. Wright.

C. H. V. & T. Excursions.

—Lima, O., May 18, good for return until May 24, half fare.

Ottawa, Kansas, May 17, 21 and 22, good to return for 30 days, half fare.

Covington, Ohio, May 21 to 26, good to return for 30 days half fare rates.

Cincinnati and return May 26 and 27 good until May 31 for return, half fare.

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High school Day at Columbus, May 22, half fare.

—May 22, half fare to Columbus, good for return until May 23, inclusive.

Pittsburg, Pa., and return, half fare, June 6th, 7th and 8th. Good for return until June 13th.

Springfield, O., and return, half fare, June 3d. Good for return until June 4th.

Terre Haute, Ind., half fare, June 1st and 2d. Good for return until June 7th.

Columbus, O., and return, half fare, June 1st and 2d. Good for return until June 3d.

List of C. H. V. & T. Excursions will be inserted regularly in this paper under the head of "C. H. V. & T. Excursions." Look over the list and see if you can't find the place you want to visit, and then call on C. W. Schwenke, Agent, and he will gladly give you time of trains and all information necessary.

Rich Discoveries of Gold.

At Cripple Creek, Colorado, and elsewhere, are being made daily, and the production for 1896 will be the largest ever known, estimated at two hundred million dollars. Cripple Creek alone is producing over One Million Dollars a month, and steadily increasing. Mining stocks are advancing in price more rapidly than any other Stocks, and many pay dividends of 35 to 50 per cent. They offer the best opportunity to make a large profit on a small investment.

J. E. MORGAN & CO., 45 Broadway, New York, are financial agents for the Prudential Gold Mining Co., and others in the Cripple Creek district. They will send you free, interesting particulars of the Mining Companies they represent also their book on speculation in stocks, grain and cotton, containing many new and important features.

Send for these books at once if you are interested in any form of speculation or investments. They may prove profitable to you. April 9-10t

BUCKLEN'S ARNICA SALVE.

The Best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by F. Harrington.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria. When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria. When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria. When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

A valuable pug dog, the pet of two little girls. Return to John Easterling, East Main Street, Logan, O., and receive liberal reward.

—First class work done by L. Verges, the Jeweler.

Columbus Real Estate—Ideal Investment Property.

I have given years, with excellent results, to the subject of investing sums, large and small for others, and those who want bargains, should see the elegant variety of ideal investment property. I am now offering in the edge of Columbus, at prices that will double and treble within about three years.

This property consists of lots, additions and acreage which pays its way in rentals, and always finds a Ready and Rising market, should you want to sell.

I want a "hustler" in Logan to solicit for me; and those having friends desiring to invest, should write me for particulars and plates.

J. S. RICKETTS, Room 3 Columbus Bldg. Columbus, O.

Thomas J. Rose died at the home of his son-in-law near Conway, Ohio, April 10. He was there on a visit and took sick with pneumonia and was sick eight weeks. He was born in Hocking county, October 7, 1842. He leaves a wife, four daughters, one son, a father, four sisters and two brothers to mourn their loss. He was converted and joined the Mount Zion Baptist church twenty-seven years ago and lived a Christian life ever since. His death was peaceful and he was ready.

Catharine Weaver was born May

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